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Industry Institute Interaction (IIIC) and Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) Report on Visit to "KANHA SHANTHI VANAM"

As a part of **Industry Institute Interaction (IIIC)**, **Institution's Innovation Council (IIC)** and Yoga Club of Nalla Narasimha Reddy Education Society's of Group of Institutions, Hyderabad, the Dean-SoE & Convener – IIC Dr G Janardhana Raju, Dean-SoP Dr Krishna Mohan Chinnala, 20 Faculty members and 78 students have visited KANHA Shanthi Vanam on 12-06-2023.



NNRG faculty and students visit to KANHA Shanthi Vanam

The NNRG team members arrived Kanha Shanthi Vanam at 11.15 am, assembled in open auditorium. The volunteers of Mrs Hemalatha Reddy and Sri Shriram received all the members. Mrs Hemalatha Reddy has given a brief introduction about KANHA Shanthi Vanam whereas Mr Shriram elaborated the facilities available at KANHA Shanthi Vanam. A forty five minutes of Kanha Shanthi Vanam video showed where it was in previous years and the development of Kanha Shanthi Vanam in recent years. An interactive session was held by the volunteers at the end of the session. Before lunch, the NNRG team members were asked to do meditation in Meditation hall under the guidance of Mr Shriram.

Following are the statements made by Mr Shriram about Kanha Shanti Vanam:

Kanha Shanti Vanam is located near Chegur Village in Ranga Reddy district, 50 kilometers from Hyderabad in Telangana, India spreaded in 1400 acres of land. 29 January 2020 was marked as inauguration of the world's largest meditation center at Kanha Shanti Vanam, by Pujya Shri Kamlesh D Patel (Daaji). It has a capacity to seat 100,000 people for meditation at one time including the central hall surrounded by eight smaller satellite pods, an auditorium, a conference hall and seating over 2 floors for meditation and training purposes. The meditation hall is within a green campus housing plant nurseries, a bookshop and library, a canteen and restaurant, a hotel, a children's park, as well as temporary and permanent living spaces to lodge numerous practitioners who come here from around the world to be a part of the heart fullness community.



KANHA SHANTI VANAM VISIT



NNRG Faculty & students at KANHA

While speaking, Ms Hemalatha Reddy enlightened about Kanha Shanthi Vanam total area. She told that it is the world's largest meditational centre with full of plants and trees and many rare endangered species. Various special programs for children and people are being conducted in which brighter minds are one of the programs for children. It is a spiritual sector related to internal changes, wellness centres are sharing its best practices and technology. Kanha Shanthi Vanam also has an international sports centre and also farming practices. Ms Hemalatha Reddy also concluded that idea of support and spiritual growth has brought this far.



Practicing of meditation by NNRG team under the guidance of Mr Shriram



Addressing by Dr G Janardhana Raju & Mrs Hemi Latha Reddy at KANHA



Deans of NNRG, Faculty & students at Kanha Shanti Vanam

Another speaker, Mr Shriram addressed all the NNRG members regarding its establishment and development. He said it is started in 1945 and expanded by Raja Goal then later extended their services in 165 countries. He also told that the design of the flooring is done with small water pipes under it so that the water pipes sprinkles water underneath the floor and keeps floor cool. He also said that the whole Shanthi Vanam operates with a number of Air Conditioners. He also said that that the transformation is very drastic over 6 years. The trust performed many operations like rainfall rescue operations with plantation and conservations. Kanha Shanthi Vanam developed in 300 acres in Hyderabad to build rain forest. Plants are brought from Kerala and Karnataka.

He also stated that activated charcoal and biomass is included in plantation. The forest has eight lakhs plantations where a few plants like Agate plants grow fast and create required shape. At the end of the session, all the NNRG team members practiced meditation for 15 minutes under the guidance of Mr Shriram.

The KANHA Shanthi Vanam visit was ended by 2.35 pm and reported to NNRG by 4.10 PM.

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